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TO AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

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TAGS: EIND, CO

SUBJECT: TAX STATUS OF FEDECAFE

1. AT HIS REQUEST, AMBASSADOR BOTERO CALLED AUGUST 2 ON ASSISTANT SECRETARY KUBISCH AND PRESENTED A NOTE SETTING FORTH ARGUMENTS WHY COLOMBIAN COFFEE FEDERATION (FEDECAFE) REPRESENTATION IN U.S. SHOULD HAVE ITS TAX EXEMPT STATUS RESTORED. THIS STATUS WAS CANCELLED BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE IN 1968. BOTERO'S PRESENTATION STRESSED "POLITICAL" ASPECTS OF PROBLEM, BASED ON IMPORTANCE OF COFFEE IN COLOMBIAN ECONOMY.

2. ASSISTANT SECRETARY KUBISCH ASSURED AMBASSADOR THAT COLOMBIAN NOTE WILL BE STUDIED CAREFULLY IN DEPARTMENT AND THAT WE WOULD ACCEPT AMBASSADOR'S OFFER OF FURTHER DATA SHOULD THIS LATER BE NECESSARY. COPY OF NOTE IS BEING POUCHED TO EMBASSY. DECONTROLLED FOLLOWING AUGUST 3, 1974. ROGERS

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